

Hampton Police Division Media Release

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Robberies from Business Investigation: 3800 block of Kecoughtan Road

The Hampton Police Division is seeking the public's assistance in identifying the suspect who is responsible for two robberies from business that occurred on December 26, 2013 and January 6, 2014.

The investigation revealed that on December 26, 2013, and January 6, 2014 at 3:55 p.m., officers were dispatched to the ABC Store located in the 3800 block of Kecoughtan Road in reference to a robbery which had just occurred. In each incident the suspect entered the business, brandished a firearm and demanded money. After obtaining an undisclosed amount of U.S. currency the suspected fled from the business on foot. No one was injured in either incident.

The suspect in each incident is described as a black male, 23-24 years old, 5'4"-5-6" and 130 to 145 lbs. In both robberies the suspect was last seen wearing a dark colored hooded sweat shirt with some sort of white writing on the front. The hooded sweatshirt was a zip up sweatshirt with a zipper down the front. The suspect was also observed wearing a long gray t-shirt, dark colored blue jeans and white tennis shoes.

Anyone with information that will assist police is encouraged to contact the Hampton Police Division at **727-6111** or the Crime Line at **1-888-LOCK-U-UP**. Tipsters can also send an anonymous tip via text message to the Crime Line by texting "HAMPTONPDTIPS plus your tip" to **274637 (CRIMES).** Crime Line callers remain anonymous and never appear in court. If a Crime Line call results in an arrest, the caller is eligible for a reward up to \$1,000.00.

Corporal Mary Shackelford will receive questions about this release at 757-727-6608.

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